

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA**

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VIOLATION OF CUSTOMS RULES
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of persons arrested in the country for violating the custom rules during the last three years; and
- (b) the quantum of drugs, gold-silver, hard cash and foreign goods seized from them along with zone-wise details of custom duty to be leviable thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (REVENUE) IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN)

(a): 1181 number of persons have been arrested in the country for violating Customs rules during the last 3 years, i.e., 1999-2000, 2000-2001, 2001-2002.

(b): The quantum of drugs, gold, silver, foreign and Indian currency and other foreign goods seized from them alongwith details of Customs duty leviable thereon, Zone-wise are as per Annexure.

ANNEXURE

ZONE-WISE DETAILS OF QUANTUM OF DRUGS, GOLD, SILVER, HARD CASH & FOREIGN & INDIAN CURRENCY) AND OTHER FOREIGN GOODS SEIZED ALONGWITH DETAILS OF CUSTOMS DUTY TO BE LEVIABLE THEREON, ZONE-WISE DURING LAST 3 YEARS, I.E., 1999-2000, 2000-2001 & 2001-2002:

Name of The	Seizure Values (Rs. in Lakhs) Duty Leviable				Total Customs			
Customs & Central Excise/ Customs Zones	Narcotic Drugs	Gold (Equiv- alent to Indian Lakhs)	Silver Rs. in Lakhs)	Foreign Currency Currentc Goods to (6) (Rs. in Lakhs)	Indian Goods given	Other	on the seized	
Ahmedabad	63.26	438.47	NIL	23.16	0.95	33080.10	2780.41	
Bangalore	122.14	637.12	NIL	369.26	137.54	3269.97	489.12	
Chennai	907.41	2061.61	NIL	1026.10	163.73	26539.49	4353.43	
Hyderabad	NIL	743.42	0.16	82.14	17.65	4958.86	2068.62	
Jaipur	140.36	49.56	26.37	0.03	4.61	586.73	15.66	
Kolkata	1793.14	681.08	12.99	495.50	125.42	16751.65	1977.42	
Lucknow	14554.29	177.75	0.52	222.20	3226.17	3427.95	181.81	
Mumbai	326.65	2633.09	0.17	1083.93	565.98	57258.69	21940.80	
New Delhi	735.18	652.69	2.25	1757.31	79.00	30385.89	14228.15	
Pune	860.34	NIL	12.60	15.45	0.02	1230.51	56.60	